

## CONSTRUCTION OF MUNDAWAD TANK

53. SRI K. H. KURADGI (Mundargi).—

Will the Minister of State for Major Irrigation be pleased to state:—

(a) the expenditure incurred so far in respect of construction of Mundawad Tank;

(b) the stage of the construction work of this tank at present;

(c) when the Gajanoor canal work in Mundargi taluk, the survey work of which has been completed, will be started and the extent of land to be irrigated in this taluk?

SRI H. J. NANJE GOWDA (Minister of State for Major Irrigation)

(a) and (b) Since the scheme of Mundawad tank is yet in the stage of consideration these questions do not arise.

(c) this scheme is yet under the preliminary consideration and this scheme depends upon the decision of the Tribunal on Krishna river water dispute.

1-30 P. M.

### CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

(1) *Re: Damage caused to paddy crop in Sira and Gubbi Taluks and to Areca trees in Sira Taluk.*

SRI T. TARE GOWDA (Kallambella):—I call the attention of the Hon. Minister for Revenue to the damage caused to the paddy crop by hail storm in Sira and Gubbi Taluks and to the areca trees in Dodda Agrahara tank, in Bukkapatna Hobli, Sira Taluk.

SRI N. HUTCHMASTHY GOWDA (Minister for Revenue): I make the following Statement:

On account of hail storms and storm on 13th April 1973 damages have been caused in Ankasandra of Chelur Hobli in Gubbi Taluk and Dodda Agrahara of Bukkapatna Hobli in Sira Taluk. The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District inspected the affected parts in both the Villages on 14th April 1973. In Ankasandra village, the damages was to the standing paddy crop belonging to seven individuals. The total loss in this village is estimated at Rs. 22,953. These lands come under the atchkat of Kurubaraballi tank and a katte called Chikkamma katte but not under Krisarahalli tank,